



Cal OES State Wide Weather Briefing

Precipitation Threat

January 18-24, 2016

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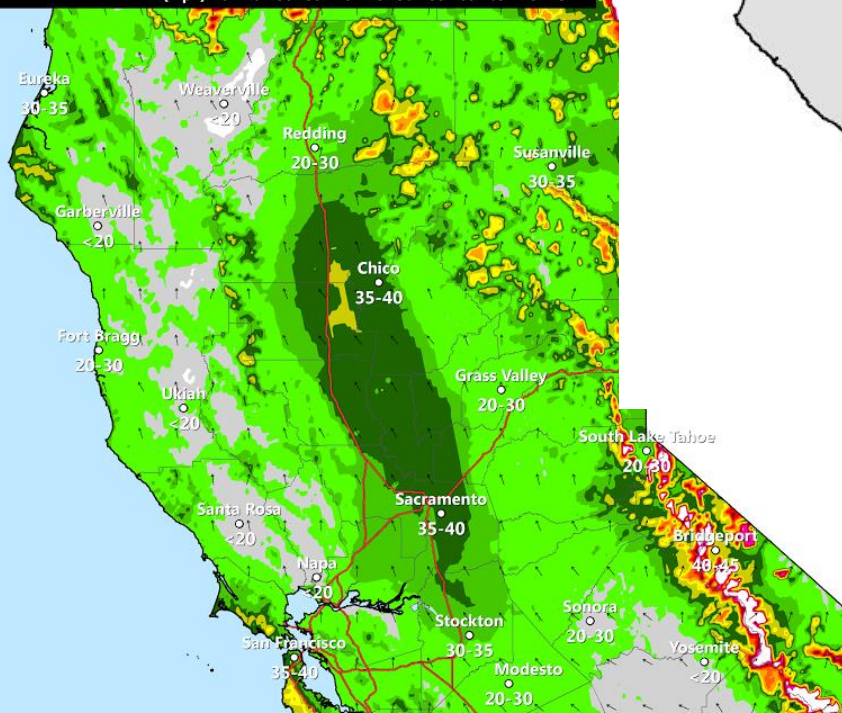
Key Points

- **Tuesday's storm will bring locally heavy rain across the northern two thirds of California**
 - **Higher snow levels will limit snow accumulation but travel will be impacted at the higher passes**
 - **Gusty winds may impact travel and cause downed trees and localized power outages**
 - **Low confidence in debris flows near recent burn scars**
 - **Localized urban flooding possible**
 - **Additional river rises likely but river flooding is not expected**
- **Wednesday and Thursday will be mostly dry across the state except for far northern California but no significant impacts expected**
- **Another storm will move across the state Thursday night through Friday with the potential for more enhanced impacts than Tuesday's storm**
 - **A bit more flooding is possible across the far northern portions including the coastal areas similar to what was observed on Sunday, January 17**
 - **Additional river rises likely but river flooding is not expected**
- **Lingering showers on Saturday but dry conditions Sunday into next week**
- **Far southern California to remain dry through the entire week**



Wind Gust Forecast

Peak Wind Gusts for Tuesday (mph) 10 20 30 35 40 45 50 55 60 65 70 75



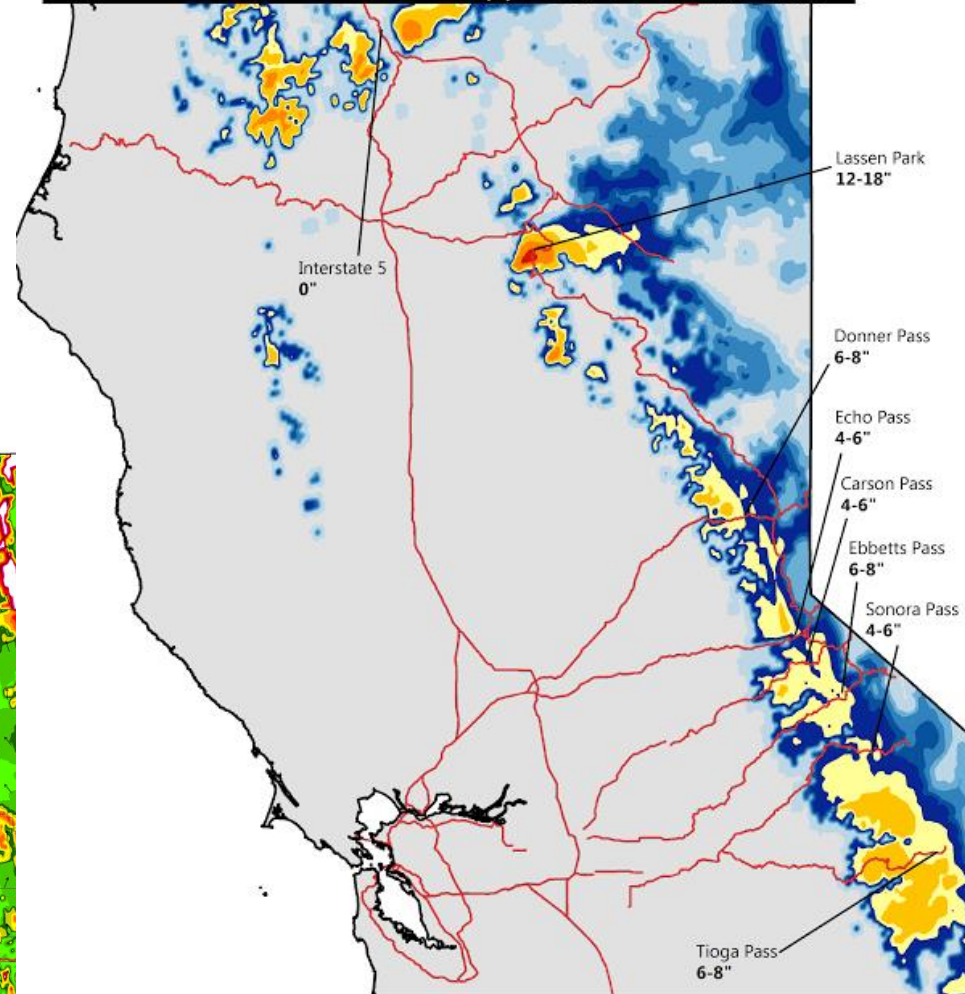
January 18, 2016 Forecast



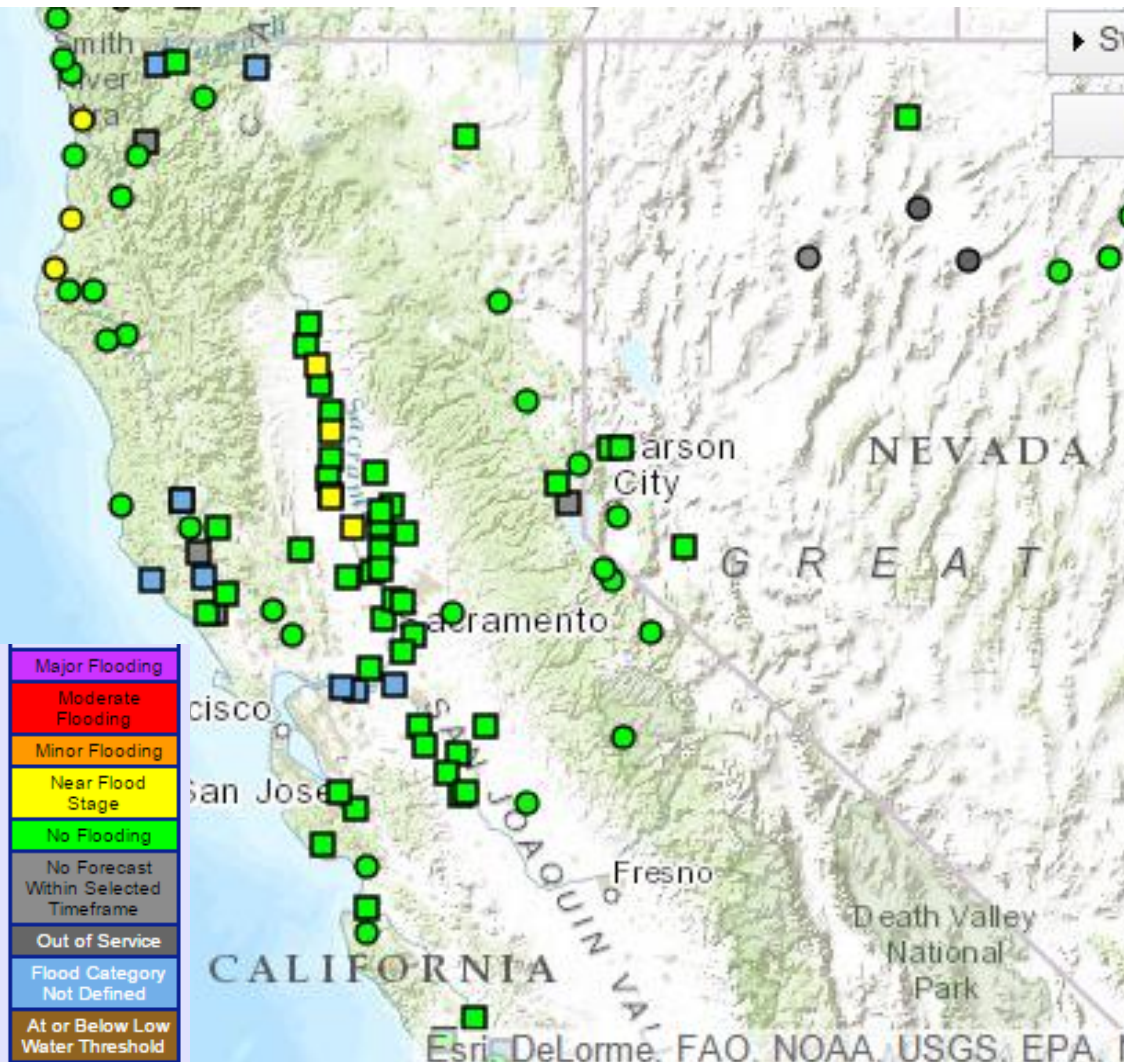
Snow Forecast

Tuesday

(in) 1 2 3 4 6 8 12 18 24 30 36

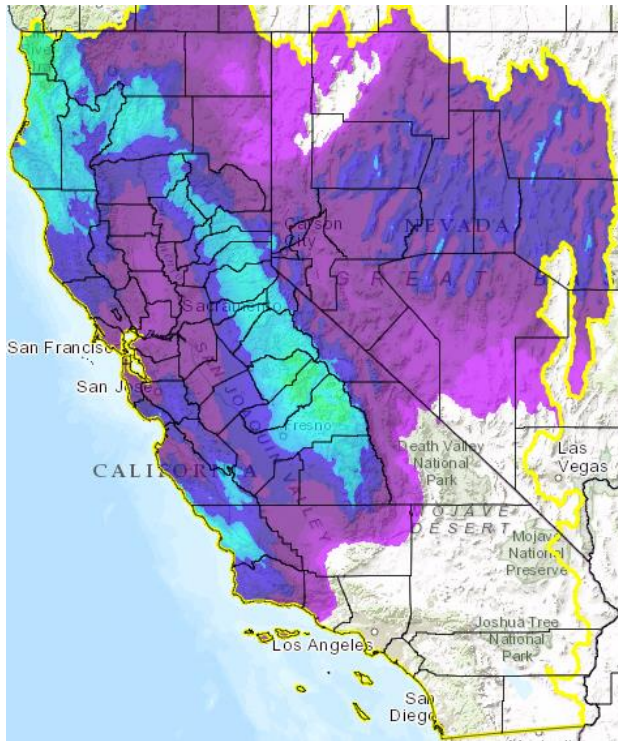


River Forecasts

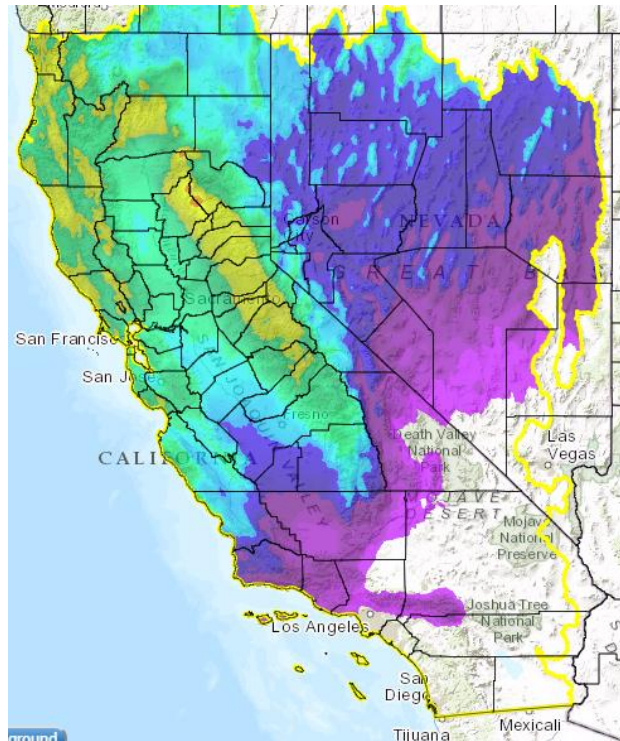


Additional river rises likely but river flooding is not expected through the rest of the week

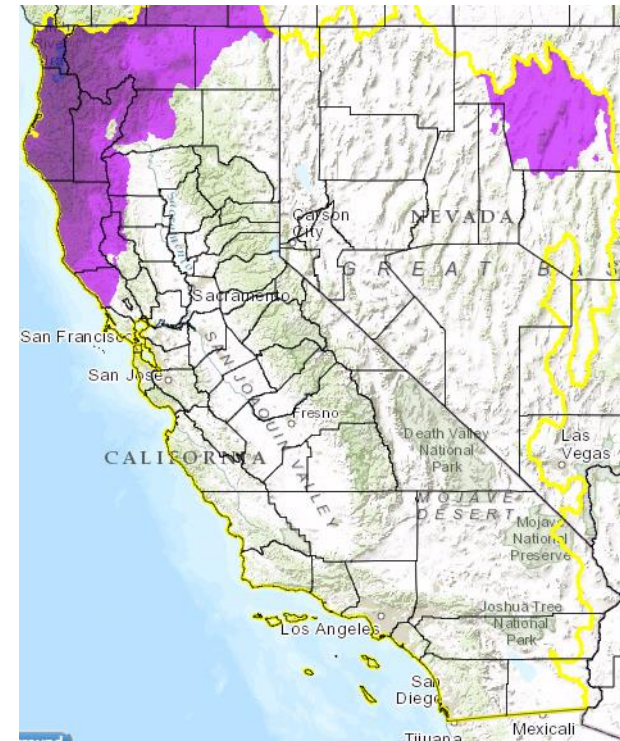
Precipitation Forecast



Monday - January 18



Tuesday - January 19

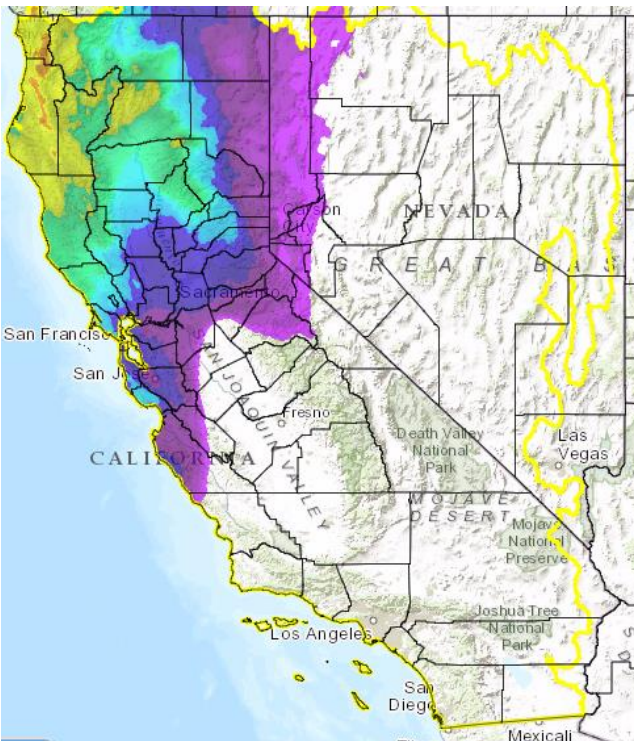


Wednesday - January 20

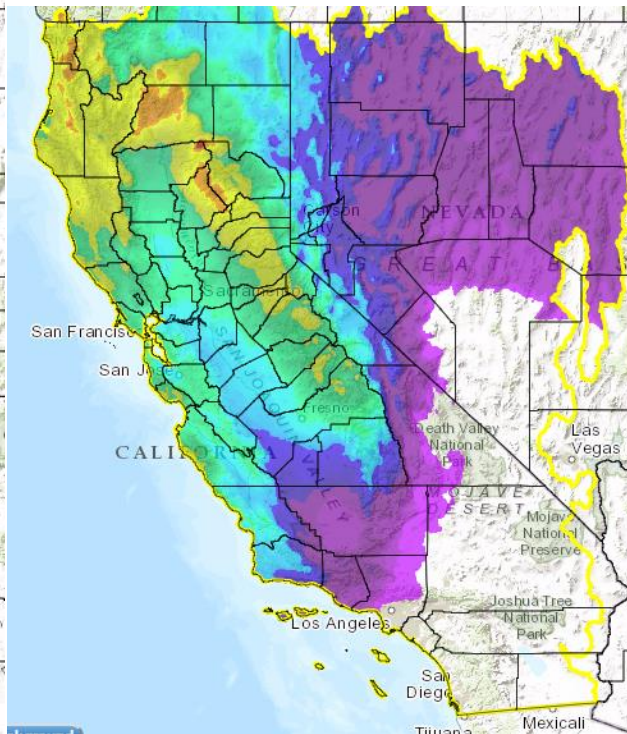
Precipitation (inches)



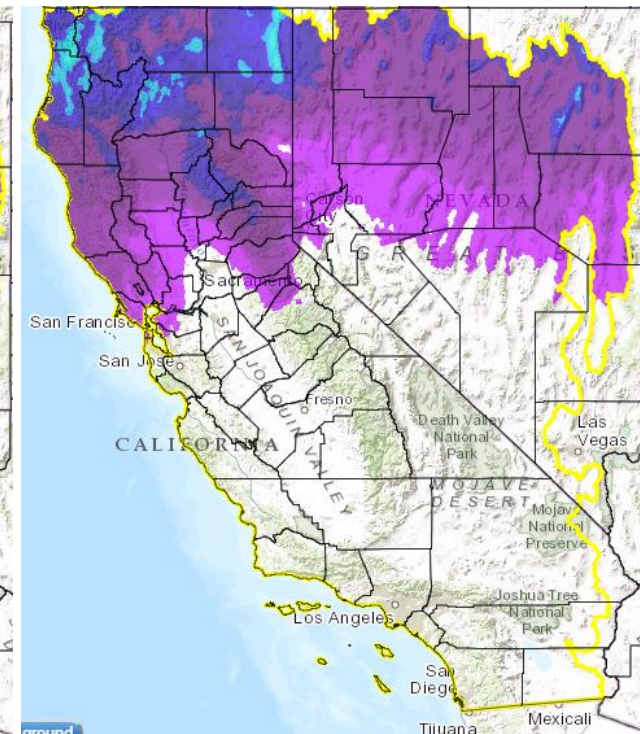
Precipitation Forecast



Thursday - January 21



Friday - January 22



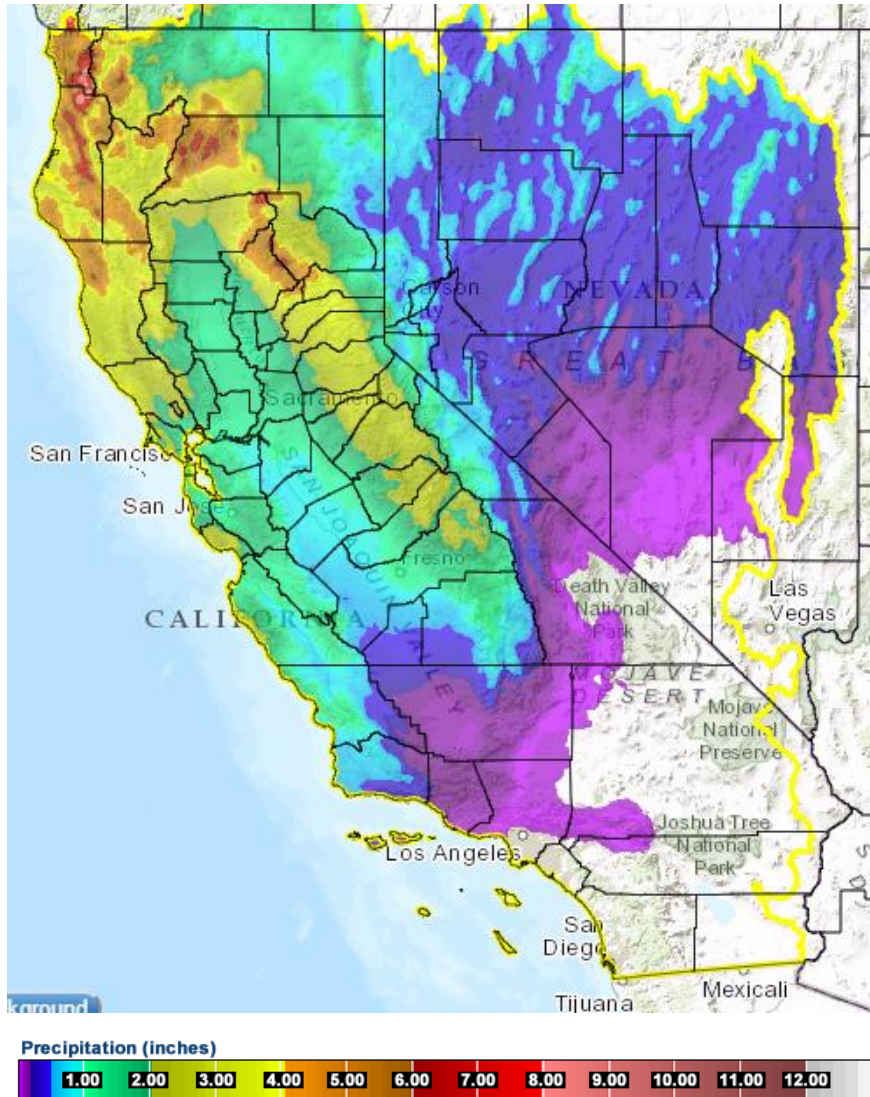
Saturday - January 23

Precipitation (inches)



6-Day Precipitation Forecast

Valid Mon 5 AM PST Jan 18 2016 – Sun 5 AM PST Jan 24 2016



- 4.00"-9.00" along the north coast
- 1.00"-3.00" along the central coast including the Bay Area
- 0.50"-1.50" in the Sacramento Valley
- 0.10"-0.75" in the San Joaquin Valley
- 3.00"-6.00" in the northern Sierra
- 1.00"-3.00" in the Central and southern Sierra
- Far southern California to remain dry

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